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**REPLY/AMENDMENT
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Filing Date	November 19, 2001
First Named Inventor	Katsuya IRIE et al.
Group Art Unit	2675
Examiner Name	Amr A. Awad

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FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/03)

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	11	- 20 =	0	X \$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4	- 4 =	0	X \$ 86.00 =	0.00
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of <u>December 15, 2004</u> , petition is hereby made for a two month extension to February 15, 2004, which is a Sunday, and since February 16, 2004 is a holiday, the extension is extended to February 17, 2004 under 37 CFR 1.7 to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$420); 3 months (\$950); 4 months (\$1,480); 5 months (\$2,010)):					\$420
If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$330.00)					
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110.00)					
Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)					
Total of above Calculations =					\$ 420.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)					
TOTAL FEES DUE =					\$ 420.00

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For: METHOD PROVIDING PREDETERMINED DISPLAY QUALITY OF COLOR IMAGES
REGARDLESS OF TYPE OF INPUT IMAGE (as amended)

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed September 15, 2003, having a shortened period for response set to expire on December 15, 2003. A petition and fee for a two-month Extension of Time is enclosed, thereby extending the response period to February 15, 2004. Since February 15, 2004 falls on a Sunday and Monday February 16, 2004 is a holiday, the period for reply is extended to February 17, 2004 under 37 CFR 1.7.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

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IN THE TITLE:

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Please delete the existing title "~~METHOD FOR DISPLAYING COLOR IMAGES~~" and substitute therefor ----METHOD PROVIDING PREDETERMINED DISPLAY QUALITY OF COLOR IMAGES REGARDLESS OF TYPE OF INPUT IMAGE--.